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1. I was in Istanbul in late April when Mr. Burton Berry, State Department Representative on the ACC in Bucharest came to Turkey. During the luncheon with Mr. Berry, I asked him if he knew why Major Bishop had been recalled from Bucharest. He answered that he did not know specifically but he believed that it was an internal organizational difficulty. I then asked him whether or not he had received much assistance from Major Bishop while he was in Bucharest to which he said that he had and that he regarded Bishop's reports as some of the most interesting and enlightening of any he had received.

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